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In re application : Yuriy M. Dunayevskiy et al.  
Application No. : 09/920,435  
Filed : August 1, 2001  
For : SIZE-EXCLUSION-BASED EXTRACTION OF AFFINITY  
LIGANDS AND ACTIVE COMPOUNDS FROM NATURAL  
SAMPLES  
Examiner : Jon D. Epperson  
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Having paid a full fee in the amount of (\$400.00) for the recently filed (Amendment), Attorney for Applicant hereby requests a refund of (\$195.00.) Please note that Small Entity status was asserted for this case on the filing date of August 1, 2001 and was subsequently acknowledged on the filing receipt received from the Patent and Trademark Office.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Entitled: SIZE-ENCLUSION-BASED EXTRACTION OF AFFINITY LIGANDS AND  
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

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